IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA SOUTHERN DIVISION

Civil Action No. 7:13-cv-00200-FL

CAPE FEAR RIVER WATCH, INC., SIERRA CLUB, AND WATERKEEPER ALLIANCE,

Plaintiffs.

v.

DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, INC.,

Defendant.

NOTICE PURSUANT TO COURT'S OCTOBER 21, 2016 ORDER AND NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

On October 21, 2016, the Court entered an order extending the stay in this matter to allow the parties additional time to finalize an agreement to resolve this matter. Consistent with the provisions of that Order, the parties hereby provide notice that a final agreement was executed today, and that they jointly dismiss this action without prejudice pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(ii).

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